STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)

COUNTY OF CLARENDON)

RESOLUTION #2012-10

WHEREAS, MR. JAMES T. "JIM" DARBY, JR., of Summerton, South Carolina has served as the Executive Director of the Santee-Lynches Regional Council of Government Agency since 1987; and

WHEREAS, JIM'S leadership facilitated the process of acquiring resources to widen Highway 521 from Sumter to Manning; and

WHEREAS, JIM'S leadership facilitated the development of a regional wastewater system to include Sumter, Manning, Summerton, and Turbeville; and

WHEREAS, JIM'S leadership initiated participation in the Job Training Partnership Act, known as the Workforce Investment Act; and

WHEREAS, THROUGH Jim's leadership, the Santee Lynches COG has participation in the HUD HOME Program; and

WHEREAS, JIM has worked throughout all units of local government in the Sumter, Kershaw, Lee and Clarendon Counties region to better the quality of life for all South Carolinians, and

WHEREAS, JIM plans to retire on September 30, 2012 as a good and faithful servant whose job is well done,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Clarendon County Council hereby honors MR. JAMES T. "JIM" DARBY, JR., for his service and dedication to his fellow citizens and declares that Tuesday, August 14, 2012, is Jim Darby Day in Clarendon County, and we wish him and his family the blessings in his retirement that we as citizens have received from his service to us.

ADOPTED this 13th day of August 2012.

CLARENDON COUNTY COUNCIL

Dwight L. Stewart, Jr., Chairman

Dorothy M/Levy Clerk to Council

ATTEST: